## **Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin**



Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them.





UGWA DEMOLUM YATEHE Because of the help of this Oneida Chief in cementing a friendship between the six nations and the colony of Pennsylvania, a new nation, the United States was made possble.

## BC Resolution 10-10-12-C Amendments to the Child Support Law

- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a treaty tribe recognized by the laws of the United States of America, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee adopted the Child Support Law (Law) on June 24, 2009 to govern the obligation of parents to provide financially for their children, and
- WHEREAS, the jurisdiction section of the Law needs to be updated to clarify when the Tribe has personal jurisdiction over parties who do not reside within the Tribe's jurisdictional boundaries, and
- WHEREAS, clarifying the difference between payment of arrears and past-due child support will assist the Oneida Appeals Commission with establishing fair child support obligations, and
- WHEREAS, currently, child support orders are only updated when an update is requested by a parent, but the amendments to the Law would require the Child Support Agency to update the child support order every two (2) years, and
- WHEREAS, minor other amendments are being made to update the Law and make it more efficient, and
- WHEREAS, a public hearing on these amendments was held on August 9, 2012, in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached amendments to the Child Support law are hereby adopted.

## CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of 9 members of whom 5 members constitute a quorum; 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for; 0 members against; and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Patricia Hoeft, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee

According to the By-Laws, Article I, Section 1, the Chair votes "only in the case of a tie."